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NIGHT LEAD NATO 7a74
BY JOSEPH E. DYNAN
PARIS, DEC. 14 (AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY ASSURED ITS NATO ALLIES THE WEST STANDS READY AND ABLE TO DEFEND ITSELF AGAINST ANY SOVIET ATTACK WITH CRUSHING COUNTERBLOWS, INFORMANTS REPORTED.
U.S. DEFENSE SECRETARY ROBERT S. MCNAMARA TOLD THE NORTH ATLANTIC MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE THAT THE AMERICAN MILITARY BUILDUP IN THE BERLIN CRISIS ALREADY HAS GIVEN THE ALLIANCE NEW AND POWERFUL MUSCLES.
THE INFORMANTS SAID MCNAMARA EMPHASIZED, HOWEVER, THAT THE RUSSIANS STILL NEED TO BE CONVINCED THAT THE WEST WILL FIGHT BACK IN ANY SHOWDOWN. HE ADDED THE ALLIES NEED MORE CONVENTIONAL POWER TO GIVE THEIR POSTURE CREDIBILITY IN THE KREMLIN.
THE INFORMANTS SAID OTHER MINISTERS APPEARED IMPRESSED WITH MCNAMARA'S ENCOURAGING REPORT ON THE STATE OF NATO DEFENSES.
THE SECRETARY APPARENTLY USED HIGH LEVEL INTELLIGENCE EVALUATIONS OF THE SOVIET SITUATION IN MAKING HIS REPORT.
MCNAMARA URGED THE ALLIES TO MAP OUT JOINT POLITICAL CONTROL OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS IN THE NATO AREA, AND OFFERED THEM A STRONGER VOICE IN POSSIBLE USES OF THE WEAPONS, THE INFORMANTS SAID.
MCNAMARA SAID THE UNITED STATES WOULD HELP DRAFT THIS SYSTEM OF CONTROL. HE SAID HIS COUNTRY IS READY TO COMMIT POLARIS ATOMIC MISSILE SUBMARINES TO THE NATO COMMAND ONCE THE SYSTEM HAS BEEN ADOPTED.
MCNAMARA, THE INFORMANTS SAID, WAS VOICING AMERICAN POLICY LAID OUT BY PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY IN A SPEECH TO THE CANADIAN PARLIAMENT LAST MAY 17.
THE SECRETARY'S STATEMENT BOLSTERED A PROPOSAL FROM WEST GERMANY'S DEFENSE MINISTER, FRANZ-JOSEF STRAUSS, WHO URGED THE NATO COUNCIL TO START DRAFTING A JOINT CONTROL SYSTEM FOR NUCLEAR ARMS IN THE COMING YEAR. UNDER THE STRAUSS TIMETABLE, AS REPORTED BY WEST GERMAN SOURCES, THE SYSTEM WOULD BE READY FOR APPROVAL AT NATO'S NEXT FULL-SCALE CONFERENCE IN DECEMBER 1962, AND INCLUDED IN NATO'S NEXT STRATEGIC POLICY PLAN.
MCNAMARA'S STATEMENT WAS THE FIRST OF THE KENNEDY ADMINISTRATION TO A FULL MINISTERIAL SESSION OF THE ALLIANCE ON MILITARY MATTERS.
THE SECRETARY CITED EFFORTS THE UNITED STATES IS MAKING TO AUGMENT ITS CONVENTIONAL GROUND FORCES IN EUROPE, AND TO BUILD UP ITS DEFENSE POSTURE AT HOME. HE ASKED OTHER NATO MEMBERS TO FOLLOW THE AMERICAN LEAD WITH MORE MEN AND FUNDS. MCNAMARA SAID THE UNITED STATES WILL COMMIT FIVE OF THE POLARIS SUBMARINES TO NATO AT FIRST, AND MORE LATER ON.
THE SECRETARY HELD OUT THE GOAL OF A TRULY MULTILATERAL NATO SEABORNE FORCE, UNDER JOINT OWNERSHIP AND CONTROL, ONCE NATO'S TARGETS IN CONVENTIONAL ARMAMENT HAVE BEEN ACHIEVED. THE ALLIANCE'S PLANNED STRENGTH IS CURRENTLY 30 DIVISIONS, BUT NEW PROPOSALS UNDER STUDY WOULD CUT THIS FIGURE BACK TO 25 WITH ADDITIONAL FIREPOWER AND INCREASED MOBILITY MAKING UP THE DIFFERENCE.
THE NATO COUNCIL AGAIN HEARD FROM OPPOSING SIDES ON THE ACTION OF U.N. FORCES IN THE CONGO.
NORWAY'S HALVARD LANGE AND CANADA'S HOWARD GREEN ENDORSED THE U.S. POSITION IN SUPPORTING U.N. ACTION IN THE CONGO'S SECESSIONIST KATANGA PROVINCE.
THIS POSITION IS OPPOSED BY BELGIUM, BRITAIN, HOLLAND, FRANCE AND SEVERAL OTHER NATO COUNTRIES. BELGIUM'S PAUL-HENRI SPAAK ARGUED THAT U.N. TROOPS IN KATANGA ARE EXCEEDING THEIR MANDATE.
FRENCH PREMIER MICHEL DEBRE EXPRESSED HOPE ALLIED DIFFERENCES ON THE CONGO WOULD NOT PUSH THE WESTERN BIG THREE INTO AN ATMOSPHERE OF SUSPICION MARKING THE 1956 ISRAEL AND BRITISH-FRENCH INVASIONS OF EGYPT THAT WERE OPPOSED BY THE UNITED STATES.
ONE OFFICIAL SAID THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND OTHER NATO MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGING AN ATTEMPT BY DR. RALPH BUNCHE, A U.N. UNDER SECRETARY-GENERAL, NOW IN LEOPOLDVILLE, TO ARRANGE A TRUCE MEETING BETWEEN CONGOLESE PREMIER CYRILLE ADOULA AND MOISE TSHOMBE, PRESIDENT OF BREAKAWAY KATANGA PROVINCE.
PORTUGAL'S FOREIGN MINISTER FRANCI NOGEIRA CALLED THE COUNCIL'S ATTENTION TO WHAT HE CALLED THREATS AGAINST PORTUGUESE TERRITORY IN GOA AND ANGOLA. NEITHER OF THESE AREAS IS WITHIN THE GEOGRAPHICAL BOUNDARIES OF NATO AS DEFINED BY TREATY, BUT PORTUGAL REGARDS BOTH AS INTEGRAL PARTS OF THE COUNTY AND CALLS THEM OVERSEAS PROVINCES.
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BERLIN, DEC. 14 (AP)-EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST REGIME URGED THE WESTERN ALLIES TODAY TO HASTEN NEGOTIATIONS ON BERLIN BUT WARNED THAT NO CONCESSIONS CAN BE EXPECTED FROM THE EAST.

REFERRING TO THE PARIS FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONFERENCE, EAST BERLIN'S COMMUNIST PARTY BOSS, PAUL VERNER, SAID IN A SPEECH PUBLISHED TODAY:

"IF THE GENTLEMEN IN PARIS CANNOT AGREE OVER NEGOTIATIONS OR BELIEVE THEY CAN SHELVE THE CONCLUSION OF A PEACE TREATY AND THE PEACEFUL SOLUTION OF THE WEST BERLIN QUESTION, THEY ARE MISTAKEN.

AS FAR AS CONCESSIONS ARE CONCERNED, VERNER SAID THE PROPOSAL TO MAKE WEST BERLIN A DEMILITARIZED FREE CITY "IS OUR GREATEST CONCESSION."

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PARIS, DEC. 14 (AP)-THE 15 NORTH ATLANTIC MINISTERS WERE TOLD TODAY THE SOVIET BLOC IS STRENGTHENING ITS MISSILE-CARRYING SUBMARINE FLEET.
AN INTELLIGENCE REPORT PRESENTED TO THE NATO CONFERENCE BY FRENCH ADM. MAX DOUGUET ESTIMATED THE SOVIET BLOC HAS ABOUT 350 SUBMARINES IN COMMISSION. TWENTY OF THE MOST MODERN CARRY MISSILES AND FOUR TO SIX ARE NUCLEAR-POWERED, CONFERENCE SOURCES QUOTED DOUGUET AS SAYING.
THE ADMIRAL'S REPORT ALSO FIXED THE NUMBER OF SOVIET BLOC ARMY DIVISIONS AT 150. THE RUSSIANS NOW ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE 50 TO 60 INTERCONTINENTAL BALLISTIC MISSILES, CONFERENCE SOURCES SAID. BY 1963 THE KREMLIN MAY POSSES A FEW HUNDRED OF THEM.
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NIGHT LEAD BERLIN

BERLIN, DEC. 14 (AP)-GEN. LUCIUS D. CLAY SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES WOULD BE THREATENED IF WETERN FRONTIERS IN EUROPE SHOULD BEGIN TO CRUMBLE.

HIS REMARKS CAME AS A U. S. BATTLE GROUP COMPLETED ITS MOVEMENT ACROSS EAST GERMAN TERRITORY INTO BERLIN WITHOUT COMMUNIST INTERFERENCE.

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T CLAY WAS ADDRESSING A GROUP OF SENIOR NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICERS OF THE U. S. ARMY. THEY CAME TO BERLIN ON AN ORIENTATION TOUR. CLAY IS PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN THIS CRISIS CITY.

NEVER IN THE HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES, CLAY SAID, "HAS AN ARMY HAD A MORE IMPORTANT TASK THAN OUR ARMY IN EUROPE TODAY."

"WE ARE ACTUALLY HERE PROTECTING THE FRONTIERS OF OUR OWN COUNTRY. IF THE FRONTIERS OVER HERE SHOULD BEGIN TO CRUMBLE, THEN, INDEED, OUR OWN COUNTRY WOULD BE THREATENED," HE WARNED.

IN BERLIN, THE GENERAL SAID, "YOU WILL SEE THE NATURE OF THE ENEMY WE FACE MORE CLEARLY THAN ANYWHERE ELSE."

LAST ELEMENTS OF THE 1ST BATTLE GROUP, 19TH INFANTRY, PULLED INTO BERLIN AT DUSK TO REPLACE THE 1ST BATTLE GROUP, 18TH INFANTRY, 8TH DIVISION, WHICH HAS BEEN HERE SINCE AUG. 20. THE LATTER WILL COMPLETE ITS WITHDRAWAL TO WEST GERMANY, ACROSS 110 MILES OF EAST GERMANY, TOMORROW.

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A37WX (BJT)
(600) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD RESERVES (ROUNDUP)
BY JERRY T. BAULCH

WASHINGTON, DEC. 14 (AP)-PRESIDENT KENNEDY WON'T DECIDE UNTIL NEXT SPRING ON THE TIMING FOR RELEASE OF NATIONAL GUARDSMEN AND RESERVES SUMMONED TO ACTIVE DUTY THIS FALL, THE NO. 2 PENTAGON OFFICIAL SAID TODAY.

DEPUTY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE ROSWELL L. GILPATRIC TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT KENNEDY'S DECISION WILL BE MADE "IN THE LIGHT OF THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION THEN." THE PRESIDENT HAS SAID THE MEN WILL STAY IN UNIFORM NO LONGER THAN A YEAR AND HE HOPES TO GET THEM OUT MUCH SOONER.

GILPATRIC SAID ALSO HE MAY HAVE BEEN WRONG IN BELIEVING THE UNITED STATES COULD SUCCESSFULLY MOBILIZE AND DEMOBILIZE RESERVISTS TO MEET COLD WAR CRISES. HE SAID IT MAY BE NECESSARY IN THE FUTURE TO HAVE MORE REGULAR FORCES TO MEET SUCH RECURRING CHALLENGES.

HOWEVER, GILPATRIC EMPHASIZED LATER THAT HE WAS REFERRING "TO POSSIBLE RESERVE CALLUPS IN TIME OF FUTURE CRISES, THAT THE CALLUP OF RESERVISTS IN THE PRESENT CRISIS WAS THE ONLY POSSIBLE ACTION AT THE TIME."

KENNEDY RECEIVED A REPORT TODAY FROM GEN. JAMES A. VAN FLEET--WHO SPENT 45 MINUTES AT THE WHITE HOUSE--THAT THE MORALE OF THE MEN CALLE UP IS "EXTREMELY HIGH."

THE RETIRED GENERAL TOLD NEWSMEN AFTERWARD THAT HEADLINES HAVE MAGNIFIED COMPLAINTS BY A SMALL GROUP OF SERVICEMEN AND THAT THESE HAD "BEEN EXPLOITED BY SOME RABBLE ROUSER." VAN FLEET DID NOT SAY TO WHOM HE WAS REFERRING.

AT ANOTHER POINT HE CONFIRMED HE WAS TALKING ABOUT REP. ALVIN E. O'KONSKI, R-WIS., WHEN HE SAID SOME MEN OF THE 32ND INFANTRY DIVISION, STATIONED AT FT. LEWIS, WASH., "RATHER RESENTED SOME OF THE COMMENTS MADE BY ONE OF THEIR CONGRESSMEN."

O'KONSKI VISITED FT. LEWIS TO CHECK ON THE DIVISION, WHICH IS FROM WISCONSIN, AND HE COMPLAINED THAT THE GUARDSMEN LACKED EQUIPMENT AND WERE NOT GIVEN ENOUGH TO KEEP THEM BUSY.

VAN FLEET SAID SUCH REMARKS DAMAGED MORALE AND ARE NOT REPRESENTATIVE OF OF THE SITUATION AND THAT THE CONGRESSMAN "GOT CORRECTED BY THE MEN."

IN MERCER, WIS., O'KONSKI SAID VAN FLEET WAS "INDULGING PURELY IN NAME CALLING AND I DON'T THINK IT'S WORTHY OF A REPLY."

"IF THE ARMY HAD SPENT AS MUCH MONEY IN OCTOBER TO EQUIP AND SUPPLY THE 32ND DIVISION AS IT HAS FOR ARMY JUNKETS, THE 32ND DIVISION WOULD HAVE HAD EVERYTHING IT NEEDED," THE CONGRESSMAN SAID.

HE SAID THE QUESTION ARISES "HOW MUCH LONGER WOULD THE 32ND HAVE HAD TO WAIT FOR ITS MONEY IF I HAD NOT ASK FOR AN INVESTIGATION" OF THE DIVISION'S SUPPLY SITUATION.

O'KONSKI SAID VAN FLEET'S "INTEREST IN THE 32ND DIVISION SHOULD HAVE BEEN BEFORE THE MIDDLE OF NOVEMBER INSTEAD OF THE MIDDLE OF DECEMBER."

VAN FLEET, WHO MADE A SURVEY OF THE 156,000 TROOPS SUMMONED TO DUTY BECAUSE OF THE BERLIN CRISIS, INSISTED THERE IS NO SHORTAGE OF EQUIPMENT THAT AFFECTS TROOP TRAINING.

AS FOR GRIPES, HE SAID SERVICEMEN TRADITIONALLY GRIPE, FOR INSTANCE, ABOUT TIGHT SHOES OR BURNED POTATOES.

"IF THERE IS NOT SOME BEEFING, IT IS NOT A GOOD UNIT," VAN FLEET ADDED.

GILPATRIC ALSO MADE AN APPARENT REFERENCE TO THE GRIPES, SAYING "I JUST DON'T THINK OUR RESERVISTS HAVE ORIENTED THEMSELVES TO THE IDEA" OF BEING CALLED UP TO PREVENT A WAR AS WELL AS TO FIGHT.

HE SAID THE PENTAGON IS RESTUDYING THE ROLE OF THE RESERVES AND NATIONAL GUARD IN FUTURE CRISES AND INDICATED RESERVISTS AND GUARDSMEN MAY NOT BE COUNTED ON IN FUTURE QUICK BUILDUPS.

"I MYSELF," GILPATRIC SAID, "WAS UNDER THE BELIEF EARLIER THAT WE COULD SUCCESSFULLY MOBILIZE AND DEMOBILIZE RESERVISTS TO MEET CRISES IN THIS COLD WAR PERIOD. I MAY HAVE BEEN WRONG IN THAT."

GILPATRIC SAID THE UNITED STATES MAY HAVE TO HAVE MORE REGULAR FORCES AND RELY ON THE RESERVE AND GUARD FOR LONGER-RANGE MOBILIZATION. PLANS ALREADY HAVE BEEN MADE PUBLIC TO ASK FOR TWO MORE REGULAR ARMY DIVISIONS.

THE DEFENSE OFFICIAL WAS ASKED ABOUT REPORTS THAT THE PENTAGON IS THINKING ABOUT ELIMINATING 8 OR 10 GUARD AND RESERVE DIVISIONS IN ORDER TO REDISTRIBUTE MANPOWER SO THE REMAINING DIVISIONS CAN BE NEARER FULL STRENGTH.

GILPATRIC REPLIED THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO DECISION ON WHETHER TO CUT OUT WHOLE DIVISIONS, REDUCE THEM TO SKELETON STRENGTH OR USE SOME OTHER COMBINATION.

THE PROBLEM OF BRINGING THE UNITS CALLED UP TO FULL STRENGTH WAS DISCUSSED WITH KENNEDY BY VAN FLEET. THE GENERAL TOLD NEWSMEN THE TWO NATIONAL GUARD DIVISIONS ARE GENERALLY AT 70 PER CENT FULL STRENGTH AND ARE BEING ROUNDED OUT WITH UNASSIGNED MEN CALLED IN AS FILLERS.

VAN FLEET SAID "WE WOULD NOT COMMIT ANY UNIT TO A THEATER UNLESS IT IS COMPLETELY READY FOR BATTLE" AND THIS TAKES TIME--ABOUT 20 WEEKS AT PRESENT.

SUMMING UP HIS REPORT TO THE PRESIDENT, VAN FLEET SAID:

"THERE IS SPLENDID SPIRIT IN ALL OUR NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVE UNITS AS UNITS AND INDIVIDUALS. IT SHOWS THAT THE MAIN STREET OF AMERIC IS BEHIND THE PRESIDENT."

VAN FLEET, WHO WAS ACCOMPANIED TO THE WHITE HOUSE BY SECRETARY OF THE ARMY ELVIS J. STAHR JR., HAS INSPECTED FTS. BRAGG, KNOX, LEWIS, POLK, MONROE AND JACKSON. HE WAS SUMMONED BACK TO TEMPORARY ACTIVE DUTY FOR THIS PURPOSE.

IT WAS ESTIMATED TODAY THAT THE CALLUP OF RESERVISTS AND NATIONAL GUARDSMEN WOULD COST MORE THAN $500 MILLION BY NEXT SUMMER. THE EXTRA $4 BILLION INCREASE IN THE MILITARY BUDGET OVER LAST JANUARY'S ESTIMATE ALSO INCLUDES EQUIPMENT, REOPENING OF BASES AND OTHER ITEMS.

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CALLUP COSTS

BY ELTON C. FAY

WASHINGTON, DEC. 14 (AP)-THE CALLUP OF RESERVISTS AND NATIONAL GUARDSMEN IS EXPECTED TO COST MORE THAN $500 MILLION BY NEXT SUMMER.

THIS IS NOT THE WHOLE COST OF THE STEPPED-UP MOBILIZATION BEGUN LAST SUMMER ON PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S ORDER.

THE REST OF THE ESTIMATED $4 BILLION INCREASE IN THE MILITARY BUDGET, ORIGINALLY PROPOSED LAST JANUARY, IS FOR EQUIPMENT, REOPENING OF BASES, EXPANSION OF THE SERVICES THROUGH OTHER MEANS AND FOR OTHER ITEMS.

ONE OF THE BIGGEST SINGLE COST ITEMS IN THE CALLUP IS FOR THE TWO FEDERALIZED NATIONAL GUARD DIVISION, WISCONSIN'S 32ND INFANTRY DIVISION AND TEXAS' 49TH ARMORED DIVISION.

THE BUDGET BUREAU ESTIMATES THIS OUTLAY WILL RUN TO ABOUT $300 MILLION, OF WHICH $160 MILLION IS FOR PERSONNEL COSTS, SUCH AS PAY AND SUBSISTENCE, AND $140 MILLION IS FOR OPERATION OF THE TWO DIVISIONS.

IN ALL, ABOUT 119,500 ARMY RESERVISTS WERE RECALLED. THIS INCLUDES ABOUT 21,000 MEN IN THE TWO GUARD DIVISION, 22,000 OTHER GUARDSMEN IN OTHER UNITS AND READY RESERVISTS. IN ADDITION, THE AIR FORCE AND NAVY PUT ABOUT 36,500 GUARDSMEN AND RESERVISTS ON ACTIVE DUTY.

NEW ESTIMATES ON COSTS FOR THE RECALL, OTHER THAN THOSE FOR THE TWO DIVISIONS, WERE NOT AVAILABLE.

HOWEVER, WHEN THE MOBILIZATION PROGRAM WAS SUBMITTED TO CONGRESS LAST JULY, A PRELIMINARY OVER-ALL ESTIMATE FOR ARMY PERSONNEL COST WAS $495 MILLION. THIS FIGURE INCLUDED COSTS OF BUILDING UP ARMY STRENGTH THROUGH RECRUITS AS WELL AS RESERVISTS.

THE AIR FORCE USES A $164 MILLION ESTIMATE FOR PERSONNEL, SAYING THIS REPRESENTS PRIMARILY THE CALLUP OF AIR GUARD AND RESERVE FIGHTER AND TRANSPORT UNITS, TOGETHER WITH RETENTION OF UNITS WHICH HAD BEEN PLANNED FOR DISBANDING BEFORE THE BERLIN CRISIS DEVELOPED.

THE $164 MILLION IS ONLY FOR PERSONNEL AND A RELATIVELY SMALL AMOUNT FOR REFURBISHING BASES FOR THE UNITS CALLED UP. IT DOES NOT COVER AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE, FUEL AND OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES.

A ROUGH ESTIMATE FOR THE NAVY'S COST IN MANNING SHIPS AND AIRCRAFT SQUADRONS WITH APPROXIMATELY 8,400 RECALLED RESERVISTS IS ABOUT $42 MILLION. AGAIN, THIS ESTIMATE DOES NOT COVER OPERATING AND OTHER COSTS, STILL BEING CALCULATED.

THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE COST FOR ALL THE SERVICES AND FOR REGULAR AS WELL AS RESERVIST UNITS HAS SKYROCKETED BY AN ESTIMATED $981 MILLION SINCE PRE-MOBILIZATION DAYS. THIS WAS DISCLOSED LAST OCTOBER IN A MID-FISCAL YEAR ESTIMATE BY THE BUDGET BUREAU.

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FORT WORTH, TEX., DEC. 14 (AP)-SOLDIERS OF THE 49TH ARMORED DIVISION AT FT. POLK, LA., HAVE BEEN ORDERED NOT TO COMPLAIN TO NEWS MEDIA AGAIN ABOUT CONDITIONS AT THE POST, THE STAR-TELEGRAM SAID TODAY.

THE NEWSPAPER PRINTED THIS ACCOUNT:

MAJ. GEN. HARLEY B. WEST, COMMANDER, IN AN ORDER ISSUED DEC. 5 REFERRED TO THE LETTER OF COMPLAINT CIRCULATED LAST MONTH, AND SAID:

"ANY FURTHER EFFORTS OF THIS NATURE WILL BE CONSIDERED TO ASSUME THE PROPORTIONS OF NOTORIETY AND MAY TEND TO BRING DISCREDIT TO THIS COMMAND AND THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES."

THE STAR-TELEGRAM SAID THE ORDER READ TO THE TROOPS AT REVEILLE ON DEC. 6, ALSO SAID:

"FUTURE COMPLAINTS WILL BE DIRECTED THROUGH PROPER MILITARY CHANNELS TO THE POST OR DIVISION INSPECTOR GENERAL.

"AS OF THIS MORNING, ANY FUTURE CORRESPONDENCE TO ANY NEWS MEDIA WHICH CONTAINS ANY UNFOUNDED ALLEGATIONS OF ANY CONDITION AT THIS POST MUST BE EXAMINED IN THE LIGHT OF ARTICLE 134, UNIFORM CODE OF MILITARY JUSTICE."

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THE ARTICLE CITED PROVIDES A COURT MARTIAL FOR ANYONE ACCUSED OF "DISORDERS AND NEGLECTS TO THE PREJUDICE OF GOOD ORDER AND DISCIPLINE IN THE ARMED FORCES" AND "ALL CONDUCT OF A NATURE TO BRING DISCREDIT UPON THE ARMED FORCES."

GEN. WEST'S ORDER, THE STAR-TELEGRAM SAID, NOTED MEMBERS OF THE COMMAND HAD WRITTEN TO NEWS MEDIA "BOTH PRO AND CON REGARDING CONDITIONS AT FT. POLK."

"PRESUMABLY, ANY PURPOSES INTENDED BY THE WRITERS HAVE BEEN SERVED," THE DOCUMENT SAID.

THE ORDER NOTED THAT NO PUNITIVE ACTION WAS CONTEMPLATED AGAINST "ANY WRITERS OF PAST CORRESPONDENCE."

THE LETTER OF COMPLAINT ABOUT CONDITIONS AT THE FORT WAS SIGNED BY 88 MEMBERS OF THE TEXAS NATIONAL GUARD DIVISION, WHICH WENT ON ACTIVE DUTY IN OCTOBER. IT RESULTED IN AN INSPECTION TRIP TO THE POST BY REP. JIM WRIGHT, D-TEX.

WRIGHT SAID HE FOUND A PRIMARY SOURCE OF COMPLAINT WAS THE FEELING THAT THE SOLDIERS' ACTIVE SERVICE WAS NOT APPRECIATED BY THE PUBLIC.

AN OFFICER ATTACHED TO THE DIVISION'S PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE CONFIRMED THE ORDER WAS READ AT REVEILLE TO ALL 49TH PERSONNEL LAST WEEK.

A STORY PUBLISHED BY THE HOUSTON POST UNDER A FORT POLK DATELINE QUOTED WEST AS SAYING:

"I DID ISSUE AN ORDER PROHIBITING STATEMENTS WHICH CONTAIN UNFOUNDED ALLEGATIONS BUT IT DOESN'T PROHIBIT THEM FROM WRITING OR SAYING ANYTHING THAT CAN BE BACKED UP WITH FACTS."

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FT. LEWIS, WASH., DEC. 14 (AP)-A GROUP OF 16 WISCONSIN CIVIC LEADERS AND NEWSMEN WOUND UP A WHIRLWIND TWO-DAY VISIT WITH MEMBERS OF THE BADGER STATE'S 32ND DIVISION HERE TODAY.

DICK GLAMAN OF THE MILWAUKEE SENTINEL, AND JOHN NEWHOUSE OF THE WISCONSIN STATE JOURNAL AT MADISON, MEMBERS OF THE PARTY, SAID REPORTS OF COMPLAINTS BY MEMBERS OF THE RED ARROW DIVISION WERE EXAGGERATED AND "BLOWN OUT OF PROPORTION" BY PREVIOUS WISCONSIN VISITORS.

SEVEN WISCONSIN CONGRESSMEN TOURED THIS ARMY BASE PREVIOUSLY TO CHECK ON COMPLAINTS FROM MEN OF THE 32ND, A NATIONAL GUARD UNIT CALLED TO SERVICE IN OCTOBER.

GLAMAN SAID THE PARTY AGREED THERE WERE SOME SHORTAGES AND SOME COMPLAINTS, "BUT IT WAS A MATTER OF SOMEBODY IN WASHINGTON WHO JUST DIDN'T HAVE THE RIGHT STUFF HERE AT THE RIGHT TIME."

NEWHOUSE SAID THE SITUATION MAY HAVE BEEN DIFFERENT WHEN THE 32ND ARRIVED SIX WEEKS AGO, BUT HE FOUND IT HARD TO VERIFY THE REPORTS OF THAT TIME WHEN THE SITUATION AS IT EXISTS TODAY."

"I HAVEN'T FOUND A SINGLE PIECE OF GENUINE GRIPING," NEWHOUSE SAID, "WHETHER THEY ARE AFRAID TO TALK, HAVE BEEN WARNED NOT TO TALK, OR ARE JUST SICK AND TIRED OF IT."

NEWHOUSE SAID HE FOUND RESENTMENT AMONG MEMBERS OF THE 32ND AGAINST REP. ALVIN O'KONSKI, R-WIS., FIRST OF THE CONGRESSIONAL VISITORS. O'KONSKI CALLED THE 32ND A "LOST DIVISION" BUT SAID ITS MORALE WAS HIGH DESPITE THE SHORTAGES WHICH HE BLAMED ON HIGHER ECHELONS OF THE ARMY.

"ALMOST TO A MAN THEY ARE BITTER ABOUT O'KONSKI'S STATEMENT," NEWHOUSE SAID. "THEY FEEL THEIR NAME HAS BEEN HURT AND HURT UNJUSTLY."

HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT HE HAD BEEN UNABLE TO TALK TO A GROUP OF MEN FROM MEDFORD, WIS., WHO, HE SAID, WROTE THE ORIGINAL LETTER OF COMPLAINT TO O'KONSKI. THE MEDFORD MEN ARE TRAINING AT THE YAKIMA FIRING RANGE ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE CASCADE MOUNTAINS.

THE NEWSMEN SAID THEY THOUGHT THE 32ND HAD BEEN MADE A POLITICAL FOOTBALL AND BOTH DESCRIBED THE DIVISION AS A "TERRIFIC FIGHTING UNIT."

GLAMAN SAID FORMER MAJ. GEN. WALDEMAR F. BREIDSTER, ONCE A COMMANDER OF THE 32ND AND A MEMBER OF THE VISITING GROUP, SUMMED IT UP THIS WAY:

"THE 32ND WAS A GOOD OUTFIT. IT IS A GOOD OUTFIT. ALL THEY HAVE TO DO IS TO TELL THE 32ND WHAT THEY WANT DONE, AND THEY WILL DO IT."

THE PARTY, WHICH CAME HERE AT THE INVITATION OF THE ARMY, WILL LEAVE FOR HOME TOMORROW MORNING.

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A110WX (FRESCO&JOINT NUCLEAR)
(160) PRECEDE NEW YORK DAY (A101)

WASHINGTON, DEC. 14 (AP)-THE WHITE HOUSE DESCRIBED AS "VERY SPECULATIVE" TODAY A REPORT THAT THE UNITED STATES IS CONSIDERING A PROPOSAL FOR JOINT BRITISH-AMERICAN NUCLEAR TESTS.

STATE DEPARTMENT SOURCES CONCERNED WITH SUCH MATTERS SAID THEY HAD NOT HEARD OF THE PROPOSAL.

PIERRE SALINGER, WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY, SAID IT WOULD NOT BE UNUSUAL FOR THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN TO DISCUSS NUCLEAR TESTING BUT, REFERRING TO THE PUBLISHED ACCOUNT, HE SAID, "ON THE PARTICULAR FACTS, IT IS HIGHLY SPECULATIVE."

THE NEW YORK HERALD TRIBUNE REPORTED THAT SUCH A PROPOSAL IS UNDER U. S. CONSIDERATION. IT SAID IN A WASHINGTON DISPATCH THAT IF THE PLAN GETS WHITE HOUSE APPROVAL, PRESIDENT KENNEDY AND BRITISH PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN ARE LIKELY TO DISCUSS IT WHEN THEY MEET IN BERMUDA NEXT WEEK.

THE NEWSPAPER SAID THE PLAN ENVISIONS JOINT TESTS BOTH UNDERGROUND AND IN THE ATMOSPHERE IN AN ATTEMPT TO SHOW WESTERN UNITY IN THE FACE OF SOVIET TEST RESUMPTION AND TO DIFFUSE RESPONSIBILITY FOR SIMILAR WESTERN ACTION.

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GENEVA, DEC. 14 (AP)-THE SOVIET UNION TODAY DESCRIBED AS A WASTE OF TIME CONTINUED AMERICAN-BRITISH EFFORTS FOR A SELF-ENFORCED TREATY TO BAN NUCLEAR WEAPONS TESTING.

THIS WAS SEMYON K. TSARAPKIN'S CAUSTIC REPLY TO A STATEMENT BY BRITISH DELEGATE SIR MICHAEL WRIGHT AT THE SEVENTH SESSION OF THE RESUMED TEST BAN TALKS. SIR MICHAEL HAD CHARACTERIZED AS ILLOGICAL THE SOVIET POSITION ON THE ISSUE OF INTERNATIONAL CONTROLS.

CONFERENCE SOURCES SAID TSARAPKIN DESCRIBED AS "FRUITLESS DEBATE," "MANEUVER" AND "MONKEY BUSINESS" THE TWO WESTERN POWERS' ATTEMPT TO CONVINCE MOSCOW THAT A TEST BAN TREATY MUST BE SAFEGUARDED BY INTERNATIONAL INSPECTION.

HE ACCUSED U. S. DELEGATE CHARLES C. STELLE AND SIR MICHAEL OF "TREADING WATER AND MARKING TIME" AND OF SEEKING TO BEGUILE WORLD OPINION IN CONTINUING TO PRESS FOR TEST BAN VERIFICATION. BUT HE REFRAINED FROM PROPOSING THE CONFERENCE SHOULD BE ENDED.

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NEW YORK, DEC. 14 (AP)-SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV REJECTED AS IMPRACTICAL A PROPOSAL FOR RECIPROCAL INSPECTION OF NUCLEAR TESTING FACILITIES AT THE VERY TIME RUSSIA WAS PLANNING TO RESUME TESTS, JOHN J. MCCLOY SAID TONIGHT.

MCCLOY, AUTHOR OF THE NEW AMERICAN DISARMAMENT PLAN AND FORMER DISARMAMENT ADVISOR TO PRESIDENT KENNEDY, SAID HE MADE THE SAME PROPOSAL TO KHRUSHCHEV, SOVIET U.N. AMBASSADOR VALERIAN ZORIN AND TO SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI GROMYKO IN GENEVA.

ATHTHE GENEVA TALKS, MCCLOY SAID, "THE SUGGESTION WAS MADE THAT WE WERE GETTING READY TO TEST, AND THAT WE WERE ONLY TRYING TO FIND THE MEANS BY WHICH WE WOULD START TESTING, AND WE WERE INTENSIFYING OUR PREPARATIONS.

"I SAID, 'THERE'S NO USE TALKING ABOUT THIS. YOU SEND YOUR PEOPLE OVER TO OUR TEST GROUNDS AND WE'LL SHOW YOU WHAT WE'RE DOING, PROVIDED YOU LET US DO THE SAME THING WITH YOURS...'

"IN EACH CASE, THEY SAID, 'THIS IS IMPRACTICAL.' WELL, NOW, I THINK IT'S CLEAR WHY IT'S IMPRACTICAL. THERE WAS NO DOUBT THAT THE SOVIET UNION WAS INTENSIVELY PREPARING FOR THE RESUMPTION OF TESTS PREPARING IN SUCH A WAY THAT IT WAS ALMOST DUPLICITY FOR THEM TO CONTINUE WITH THE NEGOTIATIONS AS THEY DID THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER AND THROUGHOUT THE FALL."

MCCLOY APPEARED TONIGHT ON THE TELEVISION PROGRAM, CBS REPORTS, "CAN WE DISARM?"

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PASADENA, CALIF., DEC. 14 (AP)-"IT WILL BE ALMOST AS EXPENSIVE TO POLICE NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT AS IT WOULD BE TO CONTINUE THE ARMS RACE," AN AMERICAN SCIENTIST SAID TODAY.

DR. FRANK PRESS, ONE OF THE U.S. DELEGATES TO NUCLEAR TEST BAN CONFERENCES AT GENEVA, TOLD NEWSMEN:

"WE WON'T BE ABLE TO DETECT ALL NUCLEAR EXPLOSIONS. WE BELIEVE WE CAN MONITOR UNDERGROUND TESTS IN THE RANGE OF FIVE KILOTONS (EQUIVALENT TO 5,000 TONS OF TNT) BUT NOTHING MUCH LOWER THAN THAT.

"A VIOLATOR OF A TEST BAN AGREEMENT CAN, IF HE WANTS TO SPEND ENOUGH MONEY DISGUISING IT, CONDUCT CLANDESTINE TESTS."

PRESS, DIRECTOR OF THE SEISMOLOGICAL LABORATORY AT THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MADE HIS REMARKS AFTER ADDRESSING A MEETING CALLED TO HEAR RESULTS OF RESEARCH IN DETECTION OF UNDERGROUND NUCLEAR EXPLOSIONS.

THE MEETING AT THE INSTITUTE, ATTENDED BY 200 SCIENTISTS AND GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATORS, IS THE FIRST OF ITS KIND HELD IN THIS COUNTRY.

"ALTHOUGH WE CAN'T DETECT ALL UNDERGROUND EXPLOSIONS--IT IS DIFFICULT TO DISTINGUISH THEM FROM MINOR EARTHQUAKES--WE COULD DEGRADE A VIOLATOR'S TEST PROGRAM," PRESS SAID. "HE WOULD HAVE TO GO TO SUCH EXTREME MEASURES TO DISGUISE OR MUFFLE HIS TESTS THAT THEY WOULD BE VERY EXPENSIVE AND NOT TOO SUCCESSFUL."

PRESS SAID A GOOD UNDERGROUND TEST MONITORING SYSTEM WOULD CALL FOR A WORLDWIDE NETWORK OF SEISMOGRAPHS, MANY OF THEM PLACED IN 10,000-FOOT HOLES.

INSTALLATION OF THE QUAKE METERS IN SUCH HOLES WOULD COST SEVERAL HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS APIECE, PRESS SAID, BUT WOULD ENABLE SCIENTISTS TO RECORD SHOCKS NOT DETECTABLE ON THE SURFACE.

BOTH UNDERGROUND AND SPACE MONITORING SYSTEMS WOULD BE REQUIRED FOR ANY ATTEMPT TO ENFORCE NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT, PRESS SAID, AND THE COST WOULD BE ALMOST AS MUCH AS CONTINUING TO ARM.

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LAWRENCE, KAN., DEC. 14 (AP)-A RUSSIAN DIPLOMAT AND ONE OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S SPECIAL ASSISTANTS DISPUTED RESPONSIBILITY FOR NUCLEAR BOMB TESTS DURING A DEBATE ON THE CAMPUS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS.

THE EXCHANGE CAME AT AN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS PROGRAM WHICH BROUGHT A BITTER PROTEST FROM AN AMERICAN LEGION POST AGAINST THE APPEARANCE OF ALEXANDER FOMIN, COUNSELOR TO THE SOVIET EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON, AND ARTHUR M. SCHLESINGER JR., THE PRESIDENTIAL ASSISTANT.

SCHLESINGER WAS SPEAKING AND HAD CRITICIZED THE RUSSIANS FOR RESUMING NUCLEAR TESTS WHEN FOMIN INTERRUPTED TO ASK:

"WHO HAS TESTED MORE BOMBS?"

"WHO HAS TESTED MORE MEGATONNAGE?" SCHLESINGER RESPONDED.

THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT RECENTLY HAS EXPLODED HUGE NUCLEAR BOMBS VARIOUSLY ESTIMATED AT FROM 40 TO 70 MEGATONS. (A MEGATON IS EQUAL TO 1 MILLION TONS OF TNT.)

APPEARANCE OF FOMIN AND SCHLESINGER ON THE "WORLD CRISIS DAY" PROGRAM DREW A PROTEST FROM LEGION POST 144 AT WICHITA. THE POST'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SAID IT DEPLORED "A COMMUNIST SUBVERSIVE PROPAGANDIST ON THE CAMPUS" AND SAID IT QUESTIONED SCHLESINGER'S QUALIFICATIONS TO PRESENT THE "FREEDOM UNDER GOD SIDE" ON A PLATFORM WITH FOMIN.

DR. W. CLARKE WESCOE, CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY, INTRODUCED THE TWO MEN AND NOTED THE UNIVERSITY HAD BEEN CRITICIZED FOR WHAT HE SAID WERE ITS EFFORTS TO PRESENT BOTH THE RUSSIAN AND AMERICAN VIEWPOINTS.

"MAY I RESPOND TO THE CRITICISM BY SAYING THIS," HE SAID. "LET NO ONE MISTAKE THE POSTURE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS, ITS STUDENTS, ITS FACULTY AND ME, ITS CHANCELLOR. WE ARE DEDICATED TO THE AMERICAN PRINCIPLES OF FREEDOM, LIBERTY, INDIVIDUAL CHOICE AND JUSTICE UNDER LAW; WE CHOOSE TO THINK THAT NO OTHER SYSTEM CAN EVER EQUAL OURS."

FOMIN TOLD THE ALL-STUDENT ASSEMBLY THAT HITLERITE GENERALS, NAZI JUDGES AND DIPLOMATS WHO HAVE PASSED THROUGH THE SCHOOL OF THE THIRD REICH ARE CHARTING THE COURSE OF THE WESTERN SECTORS OF GERMANY.

"THE NAZI GENERALS WHO DIRECTED THE KILLING OF PEOPLE OF MANY NATIONALITIES, INCLUDING AMERICANS AND SOVIETS, AGAIN HAVE MILITARY DIVISIONS AND ARE GETTING EVEN MORE DEADLY WEAPONS," HE SAID.

"AND ALL THIS, OUR FORMER ENEMIES ARE TRYING TO USE IN ORDER TO SET US UPON EACH OTHER. THE AGGRAVATING ACTIVITIES OF GERMAN REVENGE SEEKERS MAY SPARK A NEW WAR."

SCHLESINGER, ON LEAVE FROM HIS POST AS A PROFESSOR AT HARVARD, SAID EVERYONE KNEW OF THE SOVIET NUCLEAR TESTS EXCEPT THE SOVIET PEOPLE AND THEY HAD TO LEARN OF THEM FROM THE AMERICAN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

HE TERMED COMMUNISM AN OBSOLETE DOCTRINE AND SAID IT DOES NOT WORK FOR MODERN, INDUSTRIALIZED SOCIETIES. ITS APPEAL, HE ADDED, IS FOR COUNTRIES WHICH WANT TO ENTER MODERN SOCIETY IN ONE BIG LEAP.

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BY ELTON C. FAY

WASHINGTON, DEC. 14 (AP)-THE ADMINISTRATION PROPOSED TODAY A $700-MILLION CIVIL DEFENSE PROGRAM, POINTED AT COST-SHARING HELP TO LOCALITIES TO BUILD FALLOUT SHELTERS IN SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS AND OTHER PUBLIC STRUCTURES.

DEPUTY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE ROSWELL L. GILPATRIC SAID PRESIDENT KENNEDY WILL SEND THIS SECOND PHASE OF THE FEDERAL CIVIL DEFENSE PLAN TO CONGRESS IN HIS BUDGET MESSAGE NEXT MONTH.

THE $700-MILLION OUTLAY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING NEXT JULY 1 WOULD BE IN ADDITION TO THE $207.6-MILLION PROGRAM NOW UNDER WAY WHICH INCLUDES A SURVEY OF SHELTER SITES AND ORGANIZATION OF A WARNING SYSTEM

THE NEW PROGRAM, GILPATRIC ESTIMATED, COULD PROVIDE SPACE FOR ABOUT 20 MILLION OF THE NATION'S POPULATION OF ZBOUT 185 MILLION.

DISCUSSING THE INCENTIVE PAYMENT PLAN, THE DEFENSE OFFICIAL SAID:

"THE PROPOSED PROGRAM WOULD PROVIDE FEDERAL GRANTS OF SOMETHING LESS THAN ACTUAL COST FOR EVERY SHELTER SPACE MEETING APPROVED STANDARDS AND CREATED BY PUBLIC, OR PRIVATE, NON-PROFIT INSTITUTIONS, ENGAGED IN HEALTH, EDUCATION OR WELFARE ACTIVITIES.

"A SUBSTANTIAL NUMBER OF THESE SHELTERS WILL UNDOUBTEDLY BE DUAL PURPOSE. SERVING A USEFUL COMMUNITY PURPOSE, IN ADDITION TO OFFERING PROTECTION FROM RADIOACTIVE FALLOUT."

GILPATRIC SAID THE FEDERAL-LOCAL FUND RATIO FORMULA HAS NOT BEEN WORKED OUT. BUT HE INDICATED THE FEDERAL GRANTS WOULD BE ON THE ORDER OF 62 PER CENT OF THE COST, WITH THE LOCAL SPONSOR PROVIDING THE REMAINDER.

ALTHOUGH THE NEW PROGRAM IS TO BE PUT INTO THE BUDGET FOR THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR, BEGINNING NEXT JULY 1, IT WILL BE RETROACTIVE TO PERMIT INCENTIVE PAYMENTS FOR PROJECTS BEGUN ON OR AFTER NEXT JAN. 1.

TO QUALIFY FOR PAYMENTS, EACH SHELTER WOULD HAVE TO ACCOMMODATE NOT LESS THAN 50 PERSONS AND BE OPEN FOR PUBLIC USE IN EMERGENCIES. EACH SHELTER WOULD BE MARKED,
STOCKED WITH FOOD, WATER, FIRST AID MATERIAL AND RADIATION METERS.

KENNEDY TRANSFERRED THE MAJOR PART OF THE CIVIL DEFENSE PROGRAM TO THE PENTAGON LAST JULY. THE FIRST PHASE OF THE PROGRAM INVOLVES THE SURVEY OF AVAILABILE FACILITIES IN BUILDINGS, TUNNELS, SUBWAYS AND OTHER STRUCTURES TO SHELTER PERHAPS 50 MILLION PERSONS.

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AT A NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY, GILPATRIC ISSUED A "FACT SHEET" WHICH STATES THAT THE LIKELIHOOD OF THERMONUCLEAR ATTACK "IS VERY SMALL, BUT IT IS POSSIBLE." IT ADDS ADDS THAT THEREFORE AMERICANS MUST TAKE STEPS TO PROTECT THEMSELVES "THROUGH A LONG-RANGE, SENSIBLE PROGRAM OF CIVIL DEFENSE."

WHY DOES THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT CONSIDER THE CHANCE OF ATTACK SMALL? GILPATRIC SAID HE THINKS THAT AS LONG AS THIS COUNTRY RETAINS NUCLEAR SUPERIORITY THE CHANCE OF ATTACK LIES MORE IN ACCIDENT, MISCALCULATION OR AN "IRRATIONAL" DECISION BY AN ENEMY.

CIVIL DEFENSE PROGRAMS CAN'T REMAIN STATIC, THE DEFENSE OFFICIAL AND THE FORMAL STATEMENTS SAID, BUT CAN BE INFLUENCED BY DEVELOPMENTS IN "WEAPONS TECHNOLOGY."

GILPATRIC'S EXPLANATION OF THIS WAS THAT FUTURE WEAPONS MIGHT HAVE MORE BLAST AND HEAT EFFECT AND THAT THE SITUATION COULD BE DIFFERENT IF RUSSIA WERE TO USE THE 100-MEGATON-CLASS WEAPONS WHICH SHE NOW CLAIMS TO HAVE.

THE NEW PROGRAM, LIKE THE EXISTING ONE, PROVIDES FOR GUIDANCE IN THE BUILDING OF HOME SHELTERS--BUT DOESN'T OFFER ANY COST-SHARING LIKE THAT FOR PUBLIC AND COMMUNITY PROJECTS.

SOME NEWSMEN WONDERED WHETHER THE PENTAGON'S ESTIMATE OF A SMALL CHANCE FOR NUCLEAR ATTACK MIGHT DISCOURAGE PUBLIC SUPPORT OF THE CIVIL DEFENSE PROGRAM.

THE GOVERNMENT, GIKPATRIC REPLIED, IS "TRYING NOT TO EXAGGERATE OR MINIMIZE THE RISKS" BUT HOPES THE IDEA CAN BE PUT OVER WITHOUT "PANICKING" THE PUBLIC.

GILPATRIC EMPHASIZED THAT LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND COMMUNITIES MUST BEAR MAJOR RESPONSIBILITY FOR CARRYING OUT PROJECTS.

AS TO THE MATTER OF WHY EMPHASIS IS ON GROUP SHELTERS, THE EXPLANATION WENT THIS WAY:

A LARGER-THAN-FAMILY-SIZE GROUP IS BETTER PREPARED TO COPE WITH A SITUATION, ESPECIALLY IF SOME FAMILY MEMBERS ARE AWAY FROM HOME AT THE MOMENT OF ATTACK.

GROUP SHELTERS COULD PROVIDE PROTECTION FOR PERSONS AWAY FROM HOME.

ON THE OTHER HAND, FAMILY SHELTERS ARE IMMEDIATELY ACCESSIBLE IF SHORT WARNING COMES, THEY CAN BE ADAPTED TO PERSONAL REQUIREMENTS AND CAN BE BUILT AND READY BEFORE GROUP SHELTERS ARE AVAILABLE.

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KALAMAZOO, MICH., DEC. 14 (AP)-THIS WESTERN MICHIGAN CITY TODAY INTRODUCED A NEW APPROACH TO CIVIL DEFENSE, MOBILIZING BOTH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE AGENCIES IN THE EVENT OF ENEMY ATTACK OR NATURAL DISASTER.

THE PROJECT CALLS FOR THE AWARDING OF CONTRACTS FOR GOODS AND SERVICES TO FIRMS AND LABOR ORGANIZATIONS, WHILE AT THE SAME TIME UTILIZING LOCAL RESOURCES.

NEEDED SUPPLIES, SUCH AS FOOD, MEDICAL ITEMS AND TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT, AND SERVICES WOULD BE DRAWN FROM COOPERATING ORGANIZATIONS. THEY WOULD BE PAID FOR AFTER THE EMERGENCY WAS OVER.

SO FAR, 65 KALAMAZOO ORGANIZATIONS--INCLUDING TEAMSTERS LOCAL 7--HAVE ACCEPTED TENTATIVE CONTRACTS FROM THE CITY.

ONE OF THE BIGGEST ADVANTAGES OF THE PROGRAMS, PLANNERS SAY, WOULD BE THAT CIVIL DEFENSE WORK WOULD BE DONE BY PERSONS ALREADY SKILLED IN THE JOBS THEY WOULD PERFORM.

CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS, FOR EXAMPLE, WOULD BE PUT TO WORK CONSTRUCTING EMERGENCY HOUSING.

REIMBURSEMENT WOULD COVER WAGES, FRINGE BENEFITS, EQUIPMENT RENTAL, PLUS A FIVE PER CENT MANAGEMENT FEE. PAYMENT FOR GOODS WILL BE BASED ON WHOLESALE PRICES IN EFFECT 30 DAYS BEFORE THE EMERGENCY.

THE TEAMSTERS HAVE AGREED TO PAY PARTICIPATING MEMBERS ON A STRAIGHT-TIME BASIS.

THE PROJECT, THE RESULT OF A YEAR-LONG STUDY CONDUCTED BY THE KALAMAZOO MUNICIPAL RESEARCH BUREAU AND FINANCED BY $11,000 FROM THE U.S. OFFICE OF EMERGENCY PLANNING (OEP) GIVES TOP PRIORITY TO MEDICAL TREATMENT. FEEDING AND SHELTERING OF REFUGEES IN THE METROPOLITAN KALAMAZOO AREA.

"WE CAN FEED AND HOUSE 75,000 REFUGEES--EVERYONE, IN FACT, WHO COMES TO US FOR HELP," SAID CITY MANAGER CLARENCE H. ELLIOTT.

"LOCAL SUPPLIES WILL BE SUFFICIENT TO TIDE THE CITY OVER THE FIRST FEW CRITICAL WEEKS BEFORE WE CAN DRAW FOODSTUFFS FROM DEPOTS BEING SET UP OR PLANNED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE."

PLANNERS DECIDED NOT TO PROVIDE FOR GUARDING KALAMAZOO ITSELF, ASSUMING THAT DETROIT AND CHICAGO WILL BE PRIME ENEMY TARGETS IN THE MIDWEST.

"IF KALAMAZOO IS HIT, WE'LL BE DEAD DUCKS ANYWAY," SAID ELLIOTT, "AND NO PLAN WOULD DO US ANY GOOD."

HOUSING ARRANGEMENTS UNDER THE PLAN WOULD UTILIZE SCHOOLS, CHURCHES, AUTO AGENCY SHOWROOMS AND OTHER BUILDINGS. SPARE ROOMS IN THE CITY'S 18,000 HOMES ALSO COULD BE USED.

KALAMAZOO WAS SELECTED FOR THE PILOT STUDY, ELLIOTT SAID, BECAUSE CIVIL DEFENSE OFFICIALS REGARD IT AS A TYPICAL AMERICAN CITY AND BECAUSE OF ITS LOCATION BETWEEN DETROIT AND CHICAGO.

EDWARD A. MCDERMOTT, OEP DEPUTY DIRECTOR, WAS EXPECTED TO HEAD A DELEGATION OF WASHINGTON OFFICIALS WHO WILL HEAR THE REPORT ON THE PROJECT FROM ELLIOTT. STATE AND LOCAL OFFICIALS ALSO HAVE BEEN INVITED TO ATTEND.

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BY DON GUY

BEDFORD, MASS., DEC. 14 (AP)-VITAL TESTING OF EXPERIMENTAL RADAR EQUIPMENT FOR THE NATION'S AIR DEFENSE HAS BEEN SLOWED BY PRESENCE OF A VAST RUSSIAN FISHING FLEET OFF THE NEW ENGLAND COAST.

UPWARDS OF 100 FISHING TRAWLERS AND SEVERAL MOTHER SHIPS AS LARGE AS FREIGHTERS HAVE BEEN OFF THE COAST FOR MONTHS.

SEVERAL WEEKS AGO A LARGE PART OF THE FLEET SHOWED UP WITHIN 20 MILES OF CAPE COD AND OTHERS WERE NEAR ENOUGH TO BE VISIBLE FROM NANTUCKET ISLAND. ONE VESSEL CAME WITHIN THE THREE-MILE INTERNATIONAL LIMIT OFF CHATHAM ON CAPE COD AND SIGNALED THAT IT HAD AN ENGINE BREAKDOWN.

AN AIR FORCE OFFICIAL WHO DECLINED TO BE IDENTIFIED SAID "MANY TESTS OF EXPERIMENTAL EQUIPMENT HAVE OEEN SHUT DOWN BECAUSE OF THE RUSSIAN FLEET."

THE PIONEER SYSTEM FOR RADAR DEFENSE OF THE NATION IS THE SAGE COMPLEX DEVELOPED BY LINCOLN LABORATORY OF MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY HERE.

TESTING IS NOW CONTINUED FOR THE AIR FORCE PRIMARILY BY THE MITRE CORPORATION, A NON-PROFIT ENGINEERING FIRM STAFFED BY MANY OF THE SCIENTISTS WHO DEVELOPED THE SAGE SYSTEM FOR LINCOLN LABORATORY.

THE FINAL LINK IN A SERIES OF 21 SAGE DIRECTION CENTERS IS SCHEDULED FOR OPENING TOMORROW IN SIOUX CITY, IOWA. THE SAGE CENTER AT LINCOLN LABORATORY, THE FIRST ONE BUILT, IS EXCLUSIVELY FOR EXPERIMENTATION. THE SAGE DEFENSE CENTER FOR THE NEW ENGLAND AREA IS AT NEWBURGH, N.Y.

WHILE RADAR IS AN ALMOST-MAGIC WAY OF "SEEING" DESPITE DISTANCE AND DARKNESS, SCIENTISTS ALWAYS HAVE BEEN CONCERNED WITH THE FACT THAT THE RADAR TARGET CAN ALSO LEARN A LOT BY MONITORING THE RADIATION USED TO DETECT HIS PRESENCE.

THUS DURING WORLD WAR II PORTABLE SHORT-WAVE RADARS WERE DEVELOPED FOR USE BY ALLIED PLANES SEEKING GERMAN SUBMARINES ON THE SURFACE RECHARGING BATTERIES AT NIGHT. GERMAN SCIENTISTS PROMPTLY DEVELOPED DEVICES TO DETECT RADIATION AND WARN SUB SKIPPERS TO CRASH DIVE TO SAFETY. BOTH SIDES THEN DEVELOPED COUNTER-MEASURES TO TRY TO FOOL THE OTHER.

TODAY BOTH SIDES IN THE COLD WAR USE DEVICES IN PLANES AND GROUND INSTALLATIONS KNOWN AS FERRETS TO DETECT RADAR EMISSIONS AND THEREBY DISCOVER THE SOURCE, POWER, WAVE LENGTH AND OTHER FEATURES OF THE OPPOSING RADAR SYSTEM.

AIR FORCE SCIENTISTS HAVE NO DOUBT THAT THE RUSSIAN FISHING FLEET IS WELL EQUIPPED WITH SUCH DEVICES.

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(270) PRECEDE CHICAGO NIKE ZEUS

WASHINGTON, DEC. 14 (AP)-THE KENNEDY ADMINISTRATION REPORTEDLY IS AT THE POINT OF REVERSING AN EARLIER DECISION TO ASK CONGRESS FOR MONEY TO START TOOLING UP FOR LIMITED PRODUCTION OF THE NIKE-ZEUS ANTIMISSILE MISSILE.

THE NIKE-ZEUS SYSTEM, STILL UNDER DEVELOPMENT, IS INTENDED ULTIMATELY TO PROTECT U.S. CITIES AND STRATEGIC CENTERS FROM ENEMY BALLISTIC MISSILE ATTACK.

UNTIL A FEW DAYS AGO THE ARMY WAS CONFIDENT IT WOULD GET THE GO-AHEAD, AFTER YEARS OF TRYING, TO PREPARE FOR PRODUCTION OF THE SYSTEM.

BUT SOURCES SAID TODAY THE REQUIRED MONEY FOR ZEUS MAY NOT BE INCLUDED IN NEXT YEAR'S DEFENSE BUDGET, NOW JUST ABOUT IN FINAL FORM FOR PRESENTATION TO CONGRESS.

ANOTHER SOURCE CLOSE TO THE ZEUS PROJECT SAID "THE SITUATION KEEPS BOUNCING AROUND LIKE A PING PONG BALL. WE AREN'T SURE WHERE WE STAND."

THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS SAID TODAY THE ADMINISTRATION HAS DECIDED TO WITHHOLD THE ZEUS FUNDS.

PRESIDENT KENNEDY AND SECRETARY OF DEFENSE ROBERT S. MCNAMARA ARE KNOWN TO HAVE AGREED AT A CONFERENCE NEARLY THREE WEEKS AGO TO ALLOW TOOLING UP FUNDS FOR THE ZEUS SYSTEM.

IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THE ARMY ASKED SOMETHING BETWEEN $100 MILLION AND $200 MILLION FOR THIS PURPOSE. THE IDEA IS TO SET UP FACILITIES FOR PRODUCTION OF LONG LEAD PARTS, LIKE TUBES FOR NIKE ZEUS' SUPERSENSITIVE RADAR.

THERE WERE REPORTS THAT THE BUDGET BUREAU, SEEKING TO KEEP NEXT YEAR'S MILITARY BUDGET AS CLOSE AS POSSIBLE TO $50 BILLION, TOOK AIM AT THE ZEUS FUNDS, AMONG OTHER ITEMS.

SOME SOURCES SAID THE IDEA APPEARED TO BE TO LET CONGRESS TAKE THE INITIATIVE IN VOTING MONEY FOR THE ZEUS SYSTEM AFTER THE BUDGET REACHES CAPITOL HILL NEXT MONTH. THERE IS CONSIDERABLE SUPPORT IN BOTH HOUSE AND SENATE FOR THE MISSILE KILLER PROJECT.

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POINT MUGU, CALIF., DEC. 14 (AP)-A NIKE ZEUS ANTIMISSILE ROCKET STREAKED HIGH OUT OVER THE PACIFIC TODAY IN THE FOURTH STRAIGHT SUCCESSFUL TEST HERE OF A SYSTEM DESIGNED TO BLOCK NUCLEAR ATTACK.

THE FLIGHT WAS PLANNED AS THE MISSILE'S LONGEST TO DATE, BUT THE DISTANCE AND DIRECTION WERE NOT ANNOUNCED.

LIKE ALL OTHER LAUNCHINGS OVER THE PACIFIC MISSILE RANGE TODAY'S TEST WAS LIMITED TO THE FIRST TWO STAGES OF THE THREE-STAGE SOLID-FUEL ROCKET. THE SMALL THIRD STAGE, DESIGNED TO MANEUVER THE MISSILE'S WARHEAD AT EXTREME ALTITUDES, HAS BEEN TESTED ONCE AT WHITE SANDS, N.M., AND WILL BE FIRED HERE NEXT MONTH.

THE 48-FOOT, FINNED ANTIMISSILE SHOT INTO THE SKY AT 2:26 P.M. AND QUICKLY VANISHED INTO LOW CLOUDS.

THE ARMY DID NOT DISCLOSE THE HEIGHT OR DISTANCE REACHED. NIKE ZEUS IS DESIGNED TO INTERCEPT ENEMY WARHEADS 100 MILES HIGH. SOMETIME NEXT YEAR NIKE SEUSES BASED ON KWAJALEIN ISLAND IN THE PACIFIC WILL BE AIMED AT ATLAS MISSILES FIRED FROM VANDENBERG AIR FORCE BASE, CALIF.

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BY LAWRENCE MALKIN 995

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., DEC. 14 (AP)-U.S. DELEGATE ADLAI E. STEVENSON WARNED THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TONIGHT THAT ADMISSION OF RED CHINA WOULD ARM THE PEIPING REGIME WITH "A UNITED NATIONS LICENSE TO MAKE WAR."

ADDRESSING THE ASSEMBLY AS IT NEARED THE END OF A TWO-WEEK DEBATE ON THE REPRESENTATION OF CHINA, STEVENSON URGED THE DEFEAT OF A SOVIET RESOLUTION THAT WOULD EXPEL THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS AND SEAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS. VOTING ON THE PROPOSAL IS DUE TOMORROW, AND IT IS EXPECTED TO BE DEFEATED.

STEVENSON RECALLED THE OPENING STATEMENT BY SOVIET DELEGATE VALERIAN A. ZORIN, WHO INSISTED ON PEIPING'S RIGHT TO LIQUIDATE PRESIDENT CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST REGIME ON FORMOSA BY FORCE.

"THIS BODY HAS DEVOTED MANY ANGUISHED HOURS TO ITS DUTY AND RESOLVE TO PREVENT THE USE OF FORCE," STEVENSON SAID. "NOW WE ARE FACED WITH THIS STUPEFYING (SOVIET) REQUEST TOSANCTION THE USE OF FORCE."

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STEVENSON DISPUTED THE ARGUMENT ADVANCED BY SOME NEUTRALIST NATIONS THAT GIVING PEIPING A U.N. SEAT WOULD HELP PUSH IT TOWARD A MORE PEACEFUL INTERNATIONAL LINE.

THE U.S. AMBASSADOR QUOTED FROM CHINESE COMMUNIST DOCUMENTS PROCLAIMING PEIPING'S DEDICATION TO REVOLUTION AND WAR "AS A MATTER OF HIGH POLICY."

"WE HAVE NO OTHER CHOICE," STEVENSON SAID, "BUT TO BELIEVE THAT THESE POLICIES WOULD BE PURSUED AND ADVOCATED IN THIS VERY ASSEMBLY BY CHINESE COMMUNIST REPRESENTATIVES WHO BELIEVE THAT ALL POLITICAL

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POWER GROWS OUT OF THE BARREL OF A GUN."

BRITAIN, WHICH RECOGNIZES THE PEIPING REGIME, SPOKE ON THE CHINA QUESTION FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE DEBATE. JOSEPH GODBER, BRITISH MINISTER OF STATE, TOLD THE ASSEMBLY THAT "THE FACTS OF INTERNATIONAL LIFE REQUIRE" PEIPING'S ADMISSION TO THE WORLD ORGANIZATION.

BUT HE DEVOTED MOST OF HIS BRIEF SPEECH TO SUPPORTING A U.S.-BACKED RESOLUTION THAT WOULD RATE THE CHINA QUESTION IMPORTANT ENOUGHT TO BE DECIDED BY A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY. THIS IS EXPECTED TO BE PASSED AND THUS BLOCK PEIPING'S ADMISSION AT THIS SESSION.

THE BRITISH DELEGATE CONCLUDED WITH AN APPEAL TO THE ASSEMBLY TO REACH A SOLUTION THAT CAN BE ACCEPTED BY "ALL THE INTERESTED PARTIES." HE DID NOT SUGGESY SUCH A PLAN.

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REPLYING TO STEVENSON, ZORIN SAID:

"WITHDRAW YOUR TROOPS FROM FORMOSA AND THERE WILL BE NO WAR, BECAUSE THE CHIANG KAI-SHEK REGIME WILL COLLAPSE.

"AS LONG AS THE UNITED STATES FOLLOWS ITS OWN DELUSIONS, PAINTING ITS OWN PUPPETS AS REPRESENTATIVES OF CHINA, THE HARDER WILL COME THE DAY OF SOBERING," ZORIN WARNED.

AMBASSADOR TINGFU F.TSIANG OF NATIONALIST CHINA TURNED DOWN THE IDEA OF A "TWO CHINAS" SOLUTION SUGGESTED BY A FEW SPEAKERS IN THE DEBATE TO SEAT BOTH THE NATIONALISTS AND THE COMMUNISTS IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

"SUCH A SOLUTION IS NOT ACCEPTABLE TO MY GOVERNMENT," TSIANG SAID. "WE FREE CHINESE...NATURALLY WISH TO HELP OUR PEOPLE ON THE MAINLAND TO REGAIN THEIR FREEDOM. WE WILL CONTINUE TO STRUGGLE FOR THE FREEDOM OF THE ENTIRE CHINESE PEOPLE."

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LONDON, DEC. 14 (AP)-THE BRITISH AIRCRAFT CORP. (BAC) TODAY CONFIRMED IT HAS SIGNED A CONTRACT TO SELL VICKERS VISCOUNT PROP-JET AIRLINERS TO COMMUNIST CHINA.

THE DEAL, CONCLUDED RECENTLY IN PEIPING, WAS HEAVILY CLOAKED IN SECRECY AT THE REQUEST OF THE CHINESE. BUT RECENT REPORTS SAID THE CHINESE ORDERED SIX PLANES. THE COMPANY WOULD NOT CONFIRM THIS OR SAY WHAT TYPE OF EQUIPMENT THEY WOULD CARRY.

THE SALE PROVOKED CRITICISM FROM U.S. OFFICIALS, WHO OPPOSE WESTERN SALE OF ANYTHING THAT COULD BEEF UP RED CHINA'S POWER AND WAR POTENTIAL. THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT HAS REFUSED TO COMMENT, BUT BRITISH SOURCES SAY THE VISCOUNTS ARE A CLASS OF PLANE THAT IS EXEMPT FROM ALLIED EMBARGOES ON TRADE WITH THE COMMUNISTS. #

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